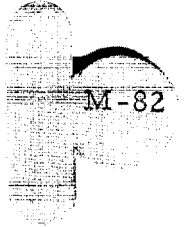


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ECONOMIC INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE

Control No. 491501
EIC-M-82
13 August 1959

Minutes of Meeting Held in
Room 1121, Temporary M Building
26th and Constitution Avenue, N. W.

1000 hours, 13 August 1959

PRESENT:

Dr. Otto E. Guthe, Chairman
Mr. Bennett V. S. Davis, Department of the Navy
Mr. John W. Easton, The Joint Staff
Mr. Kingsley W. Hamilton, Department of the Air Force
Mr. Edward R. Van Sant, Office of the Secretary of Defense
Commander Thomas W. Walsh, Department of the Navy
Mrs. Doris S. Whitnack, Department of State
Mr. Baxter Wood, Department of the Army
Mr. Wendell W. Woodbury, Department of State
25X9A8 [REDACTED] National Security Agency
Dr. Wilhelm Anderson, Department of Agriculture
Mr. Frank M. Charrette, International Cooperation Administration
Mr. Jerome Forrest, International Cooperation Administration
25X1A9a [REDACTED] CIA
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[REDACTED] Executive Secretary

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1. The Chairman announced that the EIC Annual Report to the USIB had been forwarded to the USIB Secretariat and that the report would be on the Agenda for 18 August for noting and action on the recommendation pertaining to further EIC reporting on the subject of Communist China's International Trade

* Present during part of meeting.

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and Transport. [USIB noted the report and approved the recommendation on 18 August 1959.]

EIC-R14-S7, "SINO-SOVIET BLOC ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES IN UNDERDEVELOPED AREAS, 1 JANUARY - 30 JUNE 1959:

1. The Working Group approved draft of EIC-R14-S7 was reviewed and discussed by the EIC members. The Chairman announced that he had a number of deletions to suggest which would aid in the elimination of repetition and in the shortening of the text. These deletions were identified by the Chairman and approved by the EIC. The ICA member raised substantive questions with respect to the trade section of the report and with respect to the drawings and repayments sections. These questions were discussed in detail by the members.

2. Action: The draft, with appropriate changes, was approved by the EIC with the exception of the rephrasing of the text in the drawings and repayments sections. This portion of the draft was remanded to the Working Group for revision and coordination on an interim basis. It was recognized that these revisions might delay the publication of the report by a few days.



Executive Secretary

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SECRETARY'S NOTES:

The following have been approved by interim action since 30 July meeting:

a. Survey of Priority Deficiencies of Research on Sino-Soviet Bloc Solid Fuels (EIC-S-1/11 b) on 6 August 1959.

b. Surveys of Priority Deficiencies of Research on Sino-Soviet Bloc Ferrous and Nonferrous Metals and Minerals (EIC-S-1/10 a and 1/10 b) on 7 August 1959.

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